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TOWN COUNCIL FINAL MEETING

"THE TWELVE" CHAMPIONS ARE REAL CHAMPIONS

The final meeting of the 1932 council was held on Monday night. A small amount of winding-up business was transacted, and the council were again confronted with the writings and teeth gnashings of hot elements of the unemployed, some of whom included in their grievances little troubles with neighbors, their store accounts, doctors', bills, etc., none of which had any right to interest the council. Joe Howe informed the council that he had paid his rent bills and had receipts to show for it, also that he was doing his best towards meeting his store accounts. In any event, Tony Rae was "not going to see his family starve." Ike Rae objected to many claims being made upon his wages.

Messrs. Gillis and Bannan appeared for the purpose of having certain gross irregularities in connection with the voters' list rectified. It appears that, acting upon advice contained in a letter from the deputy minister of municipal affairs to the secretary of the town of Coleman, certain names of relatives of property holders or tenants had been erased from the voters' list, and Messrs. Gillis and Bannan brought proof to show that such names should be reinstated. Some of the labor representatives on the council were opposed to such reinstatement, but upon motion, the secretary was instructed to place upon the list all such names as had been struck off.

At this point, the meeting closed and the mayor bid "Good-bye" to the town's seat of power.

HOT ELECTION FORECASTED

Nominations to fill vacancies of three councillors and three school trustees took place on Monday, between 11 and 12 noon, with the following results.

For mayor—W. Knight, proposed by Angus Hutchula and P. Naslund. Arthur E. Ferguson, proposed by David Oliver and J. Angus McDonald.

For council—William McVey, proposed by F. M. Thompson and Charles Sartoris; Joseph Krosky, senior, proposed by A. Pagnucco and G. Galloot; Joseph Aschacher, proposed by J. Kubik and P. Palma; Albert Olson, proposed by Joseph Lenchucha and M. Margetak; Peter Montalbetti, proposed by W. H. Chappell and Robert Oakes; David Oliver proposed by P. Montalbetti and C. Ferguson.

For trustees—Samuel George Bannan, proposed by Findlay McLaren and Charles Sartoris; Samuel Patterson, proposed by L. Bosetti and J. Battel; Robert Horne, proposed by J. Kanik and W. Kubik; Alfred Bosetti, proposed by J. North and A. Pagnucco; John Angus McDonald, proposed by Robert Oakes and W. H. Chappell; Joseph Emmanuel Gillis, proposed by P. Montalbetti and David Oliver.

One of the strongest contested elections in the history of the town is anticipated, both sides being out to win. The labor element is backed by the W.U.L. and the M.W.U. of Canada, while the moderates have the support of the Home Local, the Citizens' League, practically all other organizations and citizens in general. As candidate for mayor, Mr. Ferguson has had wide experience, both at Fernie and Blairmore, a man who has the respect of respectable people in this community, and deserving of support.

Of the opposition, Bill Knight for mayor, a carpenter; Aschacher and Krosky, for council, coal miners; Albert Olsen, for council, engineer; Alfred Bosetti, for school trustee, tracklayer; Robert Horne and Sam Patterson, for trustees, coal miners.

Citizens' candidates for council, McVey, Montalbetti and Oliver, need no introduction. Citizens' candidates for school trustees, Bannan, McDonald and Gillis, have all served the district

Coming from behind in the last ten minutes of a two-game play-off series, the Blairmore Barcats on Monday night banged in three goals to overcome the two-goal lead held by Coleman Indians through the opener at Coleman on Friday night, and elected to go into the provincial play-downs as representatives of the Crows' Nest League.

The game on Monday night was one of the fastest and cleanest ever played between these rival teams, and afforded Bellevueans present a splendid opportunity of studying how a clean game can be played.

Tony Vepravia had the honor of matching up the three counters, and the opinion was expressed at the finish that an exhibition game should be staged at some future date, Tony, unshackled, to play now famous seven-man Coleman aggregation. About eight hundred fans were in attendance. Two hectic periods resulted in no score, and the heart of Coleman must have dropped out when Tony in a shot from the blue line landed the rubber behind the Coleman goalie.

Blairmore now meets Claresholm in a two-game series, the first here tonight, the second at Claresholm on Saturday night.

FORMER HILLCREST RESIDENT PASSES AWAY AT WAYNE

Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, resident of Wayne for the past seventeen years, previous to which time she resided at Hillcrest Mines, died at her residence at Wayne on Sunday morning last, at the age of seventy years.

The late Mrs. Taylor was born in Staffordshire, England, and is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Mike Moir, of High River, and Mrs. G. Cruckshank, of Crossfield; and five sons, William, John, Fred and Samuel, of Wayne, and Albert, of Calgary.

The remains were laid to rest at Wayne on Wednesday afternoon.

SHORT SONG

The shortest musical bit ever sung in a picture is done by Charles Carter, basso profundo, in "The Big Broadcast," romantic comedy of radioland, coming to the Orpheum for next week end.

Carver, the menacing bass voice behind the elephants, hippopotami, and villianous gorillas in Fleisch's screen cartoons, sings just two bars of Kate Smith's theme song, Miss Smith, with Stuart Ervin, Bing Crosby, Leila Hyams, the Mills Brothers, the Boswell Sisters, Arthur Tracy (the Street Singer), Vincent Lopez and his orchestra, Burns and Allen, and Cab Calloway and his orchestra, is featured in the film.

Death has claimed an old timer of the Beaver Mines district, in the person of Thomas Lowery.

A. E. Smith, member of the council, dropped dead during the annual ratemakers' meeting at Redcliff. He had just finished his report in behalf of the license and police department.

Remember the dance revue to be held by the Blairmore Girl Guards, under direction of Miss Eileen Jones, in the Columbus hall on Friday night of next week.

On and after Thursday next, February the 16th, the days of grace for motorists who have not taken out their licenses for the year expire, according to announcement in the Lethbridge Herald.

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Books being placed on the shelves this week are:

"The Danger Trail," James Oliver Courtney; "The Three Tops," Ronald A. Knox; "The Big Brigade," Hal G. Evans; "The Way of an Eagle," Ethel M. Dell; "Black Gold," Robert McBair; "Room 13," Edgar Wallace; "Joseph Balsamo," Dumas; "Mysteries of Mystery," Vol. I. This volume contains stories by such authors as Anna Katherine Green, Sir Gilbert Parker, Mary Cholmondeley and others.

Donations of books are always welcome. This week we wish to thank Mrs. W. Oakes and Mr. George Lyd for splendid donations to the library. The library hours are Tuesdays and 26-14, last night.

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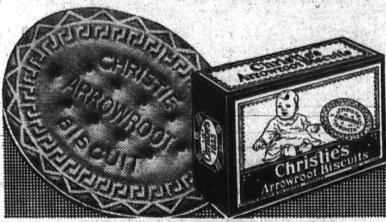
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Tabulating The Census.

In this machine age, and during a period of unemployment on a scale never before experienced, there is a tendency in some quarters to lay the chief blame for the prevailing unemployment to one factor—the machine. It is being argued that man through its great inventive genius has succeeded so well that he is putting himself out of work; that the machine is now doing what man himself ought to do. It cannot be denied that the machine has displayed man-power in many directions and ways. But, conversely, it cannot be denied that the machine has developed so many new things and made them accessible to masses of the people who would otherwise be denied them, that, in other directions and ways, the machine has created employment for man. Many examples of this might be given.

Aside from this, however, there is another fact that is too often overlooked, and that is, hundreds of things are now being made and done by machinery which would never have been at all if we had to depend upon manpower to do them. They would be economically impossible, and but for the machine, man would simply be denied these things which the machines now do or provide for him. In such instances the machine is not depriving man of employment, but is merely adding to the sum total of the world's goods, services, conveniences, even knowledge.

Let us devote this article to a concrete illustration of this fact, gleaned from a most interesting newspaper article. Can you imagine a machine that counts 240 separate facts at the same time? Can you imagine another that detects man-made mistakes? Yet the inventive genius of a Canadian has evolved such machines which are now at work in the Census Bureau at Ottawa, machines unlike anything in the world. They are not replacing men and women, as many, or more, persons are employed in the Census Bureau than ever before, but they are making thousands of calculations possible which could not have been made by man.

The 1931 census of Canada now being tabulated is the biggest job of its kind ever undertaken in this country. Work is not for the two months referred to it would cost three times as much as it will to tabulate the information which will be published, and it would, therefore, never be undertaken. In addition, much more information will be compiled than will be published, but it will be available if and when required.

The two machines are the verifier and the tabulator. The first detects errors in the second counts 240 different facts from individual cards at the rate of 240 cards a minute.

The data taken by census enumerators is transferred to small cards by punching holes for each fact recorded. A hole is punched in the proper place to indicate the sex, age, religion, nationality, language, place of origin, and other things of the person being counted. This card is then sent to the certifying machine which checks the accuracy of the answers and the correctness on which conflicting pieces of information are recorded. For instance, if a person's age is 25 and he is listed by mistake as a non-voter, under 21, the card is thrown into the discard by the machine and sent back for checking to correct the error.

If a man gives his racial origin as Jewish and his religion as Baptist, the card is thrown out and re-checked. If the sex is omitted the card is shot back. The machine, of course, cannot detect a straight error in a single fact, such as the wrong age, or the wrong sex, but it can and does detect all discrepancies of recording data.

The tabulator is the only machine in the world which will count 240 separate facts at the same time, and, as already stated, it does it at the rate of 245 cards a minute.

Just as two uncanny, almost human, machines do their work space will not permit of a description, intensely interesting as it would be. They were invented by A. E. Thornton, mechanical superintendent of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, and were built in Ottawa under his direction and that of his assistant, F. Bellisle. These two men worked for three years on the project, and the machine was built at the expense of the Government, so that they would build the machines as commercial manufacturers scoffed and said they would never work. The machines have been working for 15 months without a hitch.

The greatest machine in the world is at Washington and is used by the United States Census Bureau. It, however, tabulates only 60 facts at a time compared with the 240 tabulated by the Canadian machine. The largest commercial machine in the world tabulates only 36 facts and cannot be bought. It can only be rented. Before the next U.S. census is taken, Mr. Thornton's machine will be installed at Washington, Canada is miles ahead of the United States in this respect.

Development of the machine was an exemplification of the theory of necessity being the mother of invention. Had Mr. Thornton and Mr. Bellisle not set to work on their little machine they would most likely never have been built. Private companies were scarcely interested in the expense because there is little market. The machine is of use only for census purposes and the Dominion Government is the only customer in Canada.

But to emphasize the idea mentioned at the outset of this article. Let it be repeated that the machines are not replacing men out of work. The tabulation of the present census will cost less than previous censuses and many or more people are employed. What the machine does is enable the Bureau to do much more work, to tabulate much more information than ever before, and which, without the machines, never would be tabulated. The machine will be used in the 1941 census, and it is estimated that the printing costs would approach the operating costs of the Canadian National Railways. By careful selection the Bureau will decide what will be published, what figures will be of greatest value to the public. Canada as a whole, but the pictures will be kept on file in Ottawa. The Bureau believes statistics will be a veritable gold mine for research workers and students of sociology and economics, because all this information, carefully tabulated, will be available to them.

Her Heart Was Weak

Nerves Shaky, Nights Restless

Mrs. A. Black, Wallaceburg, Ont., writes:

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New Tire Guarantee Announced

New Warranty Hoped To Result In More Satisfactory Service

Much of the confusion incidental to tire adjustment claims will be eliminated by a new guarantee announced by all standard-line tire manufacturers. Tire companies believe that no longer will car owners find themselves in dispute with dealers or manufacturers as to the validity of their claims.

The new guarantee, planned to remove all contentious possibilities, warrants tires used in private passenger car service for 9 months or 12 months, depending on the type of tire, and a guarantee certificate accompanies each guarantee.

All road hazards, excepting punctures and running flat, are covered by the new guarantee and provision is made for a satisfactory repair or a pro rata adjustment based on the term of the guarantee. It will be seen that, under this new warranty, allowances will be made for such injuries as stone-bruises, cuts, wheels out of line, flat tires, etc., not previously covered by tire guarantees. This is a new and definite advantage to the tire user.

Dealers are now selling tires under the new guarantee and motorists are warned that a certificate should be obtained with each tire. The new guarantee covers also, tires sold as equipment in new passenger cars to be used in private service.

Leading tire manufacturers believe the new warranty will result in more satisfactory automobile service through the elimination of disputes and the broadened coverage of the warranty.

Special Garnet Grades Asked

Committee Would Like Legislation To Become Effective In 1934

Three special grades will be set up for Garnet wheat if the recommendations of the Western Grain Standards committee are accepted by the Federal government. Hon. R. S. Dyer, assistant grain commissioner for Saskatchewan, announced on his return to Saskatoon from a meeting of the committee at Winnipeg. The committee will ask the government to pass the necessary legislation, an amendment to the Grain Act, at the coming session, but advise that it should not become effective before the arrival of the 1934 crop.

The committee would, however, leave it to the Board of Grain commissioners to bring the new grades, No. 1 C.W. Garnet, No. 2 C.W. Garnet, and No. 3 C.W. Garnet into effect any time prior to the harvesting of the 1934 crop if deemed desirable.

It was pointed out, Mr. Dundas added, that the possible large carry-over at the end of the 1933 crop year would contain a large proportion of Garnet wheat which would be qualified as No. 2 Northern if the new grading had come into effect. This influenced the committee in advising that the new grading should not become immediately effective. Also the committee did not want to upset the grading system at present for fear of an adverse effect on the present low price of wheat.

Not Enough To Go Round

Farmers Keen On Getting Pure Bred Breeding Stock

Reports received by A. A. MacMillan, Chief of the Sheep and Swine Division of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, show that Saskatchewan breeders, like hog breeders all over Canada, are particularly keen on getting pure bred breeding stock.

All the pure bred sows from the Industrial Farm at Moose Jaw were purchased on the account of the Federal Department for distribution under the Brood Sow Policy. And while this looked like a large order to dispose of, demand was so keen for this high quality stock that it was soon sold out.

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Communists Object

The Kiverns Club of Timmins, Ont., has undertaken a campaign to secure a day's pay from every employed person to assist those in need. According to the Porcupine Advance,

it is meeting with general success. But it is meeting with opposition from the Communist element which has issued a circular pourng abuse on those promoting the plan—Toronto Globe.

Building cement is sifted through fine screens that it is possible to hold water in them.

According to the 1930 census South Carolina has the highest percentage of illiteracy.

How Soviet Russia Trades

Demand Cash From Others But Unlimited Credit For Itself

How the harter scheme with Soviet Russia would work out we will very likely not be allowed to know, because the Canadian Government is asked to guarantee \$4,000,000, but in the case of a real trade agreement we get some idea. Italy has a trading pact drawn up in 1924, which expires next August, and the Italian Government has apparently had enough of it as notice is expected to be given within the next few weeks to terminate it. Not only has the trade been very one-sided, but while the Soviet demands cash for Italian purchases, it demanded four years and four months credit for itself. Now the Soviet has put forward feelers for longer credit. That might be five years, six years, seven, or how long will you give.

As much as nations want trade, five years or more credit compared with cash "is a bit too thick." —St. Thomas Times-Journal.

Canadian Seeds Exchanged

Canadian Wild Flower Seeds For Planting On War Graves In Europe

A report issued by the Division of Botany of the Dominion Experimental Agricultural Farms Branch show that the annual exchange list of seeds, collected in the arboretum, comprised some 1,557 species, and a total of 4,862 packets of seeds, 159 rooted plants and 11 cuttings were sent out to 110 botanical gardens or other botanical institutions throughout the world. In 1932 2111 packets of seeds and 21 cuttings were supplied from the botanical gardens. Special supplies were obtained, as required, for scientific workers in Canada. Twenty-eight packets of seed of Canadian wild flowers were sent to the War Graves Committee for planting on the battlefields of Europe. Other activities included studies of the life history of noxious weeds, and of chemical methods of eradication.

Studio At Coast

British Film To Be Produced In British Columbia

A studio for production of British moving pictures will be established in British Columbia, it was announced by Major C. Fairbanks Smith, former British army officer who has superintended construction of large studios in Hollywood. The announcement follows the incorporation of the British-American Film Company at Victoria.

The studios will be rented to various Hollywood producers who desire to continue in the British market under the Empire Quota laws. In addition the company will make at least eight productions of its own each year under the direction of Edward Carew, who has been engaged by the company, Major Smith added.

The company will be under British control as the British quota law specifies, while the staff and actors will be 75 per cent British.

Show Star Movements

Young Amateur Astronomer Builds "Stararium" In St. Louis

A miniature planetarium which is said to unfold the drama of the firmament in much the same manner as does the \$1,000,000 Alder planetarium in Chicago has been built at St. Louis, Montana, by Stuart O'Byrne, 27-year-old amateur astronomer.

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It takes thirty-five men about three months to paint the dome of the Capitol at Washington, and 4,300 pounds of paint are mixed for the task.

Over 55,000 pounds of herring scales have been sold by fishermen from New Brunswick to manufacturers of artificial pearls.



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Forage Crop Distribution

Policy Instituted Last Year Is To Be Continued

The forage crop distribution policy inaugurated last year by the federal minister of agriculture, the Honorable Robert Weir, is to be continued in 1933. This policy was designed to encourage and stimulate the production of seed grasses and clover in order that more feed of good quality may be available for livestock and thus develop permanency in agriculture, in the areas where it is possible to do so.

There has been named a provincial committee to handle this work, composed of T. M. Stevenson, agrostologist, forage crop laboratory, Saskatoon, and responsible for collecting information on variations in methods of growing and other technical data; S. H. Vigor, field crop commissioner, provincial department of agriculture, Regina, who is responsible for the selection of growers, and will, therefore, receive all applications from farmers wishing to participate in the distribution; and Nelson Young, district inspector, Dominion seed branch, Saskatoon, who will purchase and distribute the seed and also be responsible for the collection of same.

Selected lots of bromegrass, western sweet clover and alfalfa will be distributed. Any farmer may apply for one kind of seed grass or clover, where the maximum acreage is 25 per applicant. In the case of alfalfa, seed for 10 acres can be secured, and consideration may be given an application for alfalfa and another grass. The total acreage, should this be allowed, would be 25, that is a grower may get alfalfa for 10 acres and may get bromegrass for 15 acres and vice versa.

Applicants must agree to return pound for pound of seed of equal grade from the first satisfactory seed crop, to pay in cash one-half the actual cost of the seed delivered within two years. The return of seed or payment will be made to the Dominion seed branch.

Apparatus For Deaf

A perfected apparatus, which will enable the deaf dumb to hear and learn to speak—was demonstrated in the office of Hon. Dr. J. D. Montieth, Ontario Minister of Public Works, under whose direction it was constructed. It is developed on the principle of sound amplification and the cost is a mere fraction of "hearing" machines now in use.

Made Old Cars Do

By making the old sliver last another year Canadians go along with 27,514 fewer automobiles in 1932 than in 1931, according to statistics in the automobile industry, compiled by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. The apparent consumption of new automobiles in Canada during the year was 49,244, while 76,758 were bought in 1931.

A passenger on a railroad runs only one chance in 37,500,000 of getting killed, statisticians announce. And what's the chance of getting a cinder in the eye?

More than 56 out of every 100 women in Latvia are engaged in gainful occupations.

Husky Turns Thief

Took Heavy Blanket From Clothes Line At The Pas

A lone husky, full of energy and craving action, stepped out at The Pas the other night and before he was finished landed in the clutches of the law.

The pup apparently stepped into the middle of Fischer Ave., looked up and down, and came to the conclusion The Pas was dead.

Then he sighted a heavy blanket hanging from a clothes line. He dug his teeth into it and started down the street, the blanket trailing behind, hoping maybe to meet other huskies to start a tug of war.

He stepped into one of the main streets to issue his challenge and ran right into the law. That finished it. Police spoke and he gave up his plunder.

Only One Answer

Japan's Threat To Leave League Should Be Ignored

There are only two appropriate answers to Japan's threat to leave the League if the resolution concerning her proceedings in Manchuria is not withdrawn; and that is to ignore it entirely. Between a League of Nations which has bought the support of Japan by a supine acquiescence in her violations, and a League of Nations which is temporarily deprived of her support for refusing to do so, there cannot be a moment's hesitation.—London News-Chronicle.

To Improve Wheat Prices

Best and Most Effective Way Is To Reduce Acreage

We have led the world in increasing wheat acreage following the disappearance of Russia and the Balkan countries from the ran's of the exporters. There is every reason why we should now set the example of reducing acreage. All the world wheat conferences which could be held, all the legislation which could be sought, would not be so effective in the direction of improving wheat prices as this one step.—Winnipeg Tribune.

Continuation of the drought in the high-belt grazing regions is threatening South Africa's livestock this season.

The "tourist" industry has fallen to half million mark in France, as compared to 3,000,000 foreign visitors a year before the World War.



W. N. U. 1880

SENATE VOTE REJECTS RAIL AMALGAMATION

Ottawa, Ont.—By a vote, 24 to 1, the senate railway committee turned down railway amalgamation or unification and accepted the present legislation based upon the Duff report.

This vote, unquestionably, reduced the Beatty plan for railway unification to complete ruin, so far as the present session of parliament is concerned.

The overwhelming majority against amalgamation or unification was somewhat deceptive since only 25 committee men were present out of a total of 49 and among the 24 absentees were most of the supporters of railway fusion. Nevertheless it is known that at least five or six of the absentees are supporters of the present bill which makes it clear that any later efforts in the committee to carry out this year's decision will be nullified.

Events in the committee proceeded at breakneck speed. Led by R. H. Arthur Maighen, the supporters of the Duff legislation demanded a show down on the amalgamation issue. Mr. Maighen threw the full weight of his influence against the Beatty plan, which, despite its designation as "unification" he declared meant amalgamation.

Quite clearly he carried a dozen or more of his colleagues with him and in the brief debate which preceded the vote those who have been befriending railway unification displayed a remarkable tendency to take cover, to qualify earlier remarks. Senator Raoul Dandurand, Liberal leader, who had been very vigorous in his demands for railway economy and, hitherto, was believed to favor unification, voted for the bill.

It was closely understood in the committee that the vote was to decide simply whether the principle of railway co-operation or of railway unification was to be adopted. Adoption of co-operation does not mean that the legislation, as it now stands, will be approved.

Several senators who supported the bill indicated that they are not in favor of the arbitral board and there are real possibilities that this part of the legislation may be eliminated at a later date.

Immigration Decrease

Few Arrivals From Britain and European Countries

Ottawa, Ont.—The decrease in immigration to Canada from the United Kingdom and European countries is indicated in figures tabled in the House of Commons by Hon. W. A. Gordon, acting minister of immigration.

During the first six months of the present fiscal year only 174 agricultural laborers entered Canada from the British Isles, including the Irish Free State. During the fiscal year 1929-30 the figure for this immigration was 13,257, in 1930-31 it had dropped to 4,557, and last year to 551.

From European countries agricultural laborers entered Canada during the first half of the present year to the number of 65, only 50 in the fiscal year 1931-32, and 12,118 in the preceding year.

Total immigration, excluding farm laborers, from the British Isles during the first half of the present fiscal year 5,125 came in, and 18,141 in 1930-31. From European countries, 1,453 came in during the half year, while in the fiscal year 1931-32 the total number was 2,877. In 1930-31 it was 18,962.

Message From King George

Sympathy Extended To Wife Of Late John Galaworthy

London, England—Funeral services were held February 2 at Woking for John Galaworthy, who died after a long illness. The body was cremated. In a message to Mrs. Galaworthy, the King said:

"The Majesty knows what a loss literature has sustained by the death of Mr. Galaworthy and that it will be deeply regretted at home and abroad."

Would Like Goods Checked
London, England—Sir Charles Hopwood, director of the National Union of Manufacturers, said the union would like to see British customs officials sent to Canada to check the value of American goods assembled in Canadian factories for shipment to the United Kingdom.

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Making New Peace Proposals

Japan Willing To Withdraw Certain Objections To Manchurian Settlement

Tokyo, Japan.—An official spokesman indicated that Japan has withdrawn certain objections to the League of Nations formula for conciliation of the Manchurian dispute, and would make new proposals for a settlement on that basis.

He indicated the delegates were authorized to concede other points blocking conciliation under paragraph three of article 15 of the League Covenant, if the League drops its intention to enunciate non-recognition of the government of Manchukuo in Manchuria and further limits the competence of the proposed conciliation committee.

A Japanese foreign office spokesman said:

"We are not hopeful that the league will accept our terms. If they are refused, application of paragraph four is inevitable. The nature of the report under that paragraph will determine whether Japan will withdraw from the league."

Railway Amalgamation

Liberal Members and Senators To Oppose Move In This Direction

Ottawa, Ont.—Liberal members and senators will oppose amalgamation of the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific Railways, it was decided at party caucus.

In addition to opposing amalgamation of the railways, the party went on record as favoring the maintenance of integrity of the Canadian National.

It was understood individual members expressed the view that if amalgamation were to be entertained at all, it should be that of the two railways under government, rather than private ownership.

The decision of the caucus will influence the progress of the government's railway legislation through both Houses of Parliament. Senators as well as members of the Commons were present and very probably will reflect the "no amalgamation" policy during the debate on railway legislation in the Upper House.

Resents Attacks

Miss Agnes McPhail Objects To Criticism Of C.C.F. Movement

Ottawa, Ont.—Resentment of "scurrilous attacks" directed by speakers and in the press against leaders of the Co-Operative Commonwealth Federation movement was expressed by Miss Agnes MacPhail (de Foy, Grey South East) in the House of Commons recently. Their only effect, however, had been to assist the movement. She thanked the prime minister and the Conservatives particularly for their assistance. Had it not been for government announcements from time to time few people would have turned out to C.C.F. meetings.

While the organization derived its first support from farmer and labor groups, Miss MacPhail said, its ranks were being steadily augmented by business and professional men. These people were no longer secure in their livelihood and many of them were among the unemployed.

The Queen's Husband"

Maurice Colbourne and Barry Jones To Appear In London Comedy, Hit

What is most certain to be the highlight throughout Canada, will be the coming engagement of Maurice Colbourne and Barry Jones in their record-breaking London comedy hit, "The Queen's Husband" at the Hub Theatre, Saskatoon, Feb. 8-9; Darkie Hall, Regina, Feb. 10-11; Technical Hall, Moose Jaw, Feb. 12.

Local playgoers will recall the sensation that their favorite comedy stars can only last season in the theatres of a successful run at the Ambassadors Theatre, London, England, where they decided to come to Canada, visiting Toronto, Montreal, Hamilton, and Ottawa, which cities showed their appreciation by crowding the theatres to absolute capacity. After the brief Canadian visit, Messrs. Colbourne and Jones returned to London, England, where they remained for many more weeks.

Being unable to visit here last season, those popular British stars are now, in response to requests from their many London friends, bringing the same company and production, thus affording lovers of the theatre an opportunity to witness the London success exactly as presented in the British Metropolis.

Must Observe Ottawa Pacts

Britain's Hands Tied United States Newspaper Men Informed

London, England—Great Britain does not look upon the approaching debt conference at Washington as a "great swapping deal." Neville Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, declared at a luncheon of U.S. newspaper correspondents.

The agreements achieved at the Imperial Conference in Ottawa last summer "cannot be torn up," he said, and the British Government's hands are tied by those agreements so far as they affect any arrangements with the United States.

Neither can Britain "contemplate with equanimity return to the gold standard until we are certain that it will work better than it did just before we left it," he said.

Great Britain believes in a stable international standard of value. But there are many conditions to be fulfilled before she returns to gold.

He enumerated some of those conditions: First, settlement of the war debts problem; second, lowering of trade barriers; third, modification of the maldistribution of gold, and fourth, settlement of disturbing world political problems or progress toward their solution.

VALERA SAYS ALLEGIANCE OATH WILL DISAPPEAR

Dublin, Ireland.—The oath of allegiance (to the crown) will disappear from the constitution within the next three months," President Eamon de Valera asserted recently.

And while the Republican president intimated the Free State was ready to resume negotiations with the United Kingdom—under certain conditions—looking to an end of the economic warfare, his chief opponent, former president William T. Cosgrave, said it was plain the economic warfare would continue.

In exclusive statements to the Canadian Press, both President De Valera and Mr. Cosgrave, victor and vanquished, respectively, in the recent Free State general elections, gave an outline of what they are looking to as a result of the verdict of the election.

Mr. De Valera was asked regarding the likelihood of resuming the Anglo-Irish negotiations, which so far have failed to break the deadlock arising from the Free State's suspension of the land annuities payments to Great Britain—the decision that fostered the present heavy British duties against Irish products.

Mr. De Valera also revealed the Republican Government expects the question of union between Ulster and the Free State—a move strongly repudiated by Premier Craigavon of northern Ireland—to crop up sooner or later in Anglo-Irish discussions.

And he expects the Republican Government to maintain office for five years.

On the other hand, Mr. Cosgrave, surveying the setback to his Nationalist party which held office from 1923 until ousted by the Republicans a year ago, declared their immediate task was to diligently prepare for the next contest: "to ensure the future peace, development and international honor" of the Free State.

TECHNOCRACY'S DUKE



The elusive Howard Scott, High Priest of Technocracy, at last run to earth by the camera, is shown here as he announced that he would continue his work for technocracy despite the withdrawal of Professor Walter Rautenstrauch, his right hand man, and other associates doing research work at Columbia University. The deserters from the Scott banner will carry on under a new name, leaving "Technocracy" to Scott.

Bill Aimed At Tax Dodgers

Has Been Advanced One Stage In House Of Commons

Ottawa, Ont.—Aimed at income tax dodgers and designed to plug loopholes in the act, a government bill was advanced one stage in the House of Commons. Lawyer members, particularly a group on the government side, protested against one section which would permit reassessing and collection of penalties, on any false income return since 1917.

After a two-hour discussion, the bill was reported through committee stage with the exception of one clause containing the retroactive power. The bill tightened the act in relation to personal or family corporations, a favourite legal hideaway of some tax dodgers.

During the present session a measure will be presented which is expected to prove an efficient and acceptable method by which the government may insure collection of all income tax payments due from the holders of bearer bonds.

Open Season For Beaver

Trapping In Northern Saskatchewan Legal During March and April

Regina, Sask.—Open season for trapping of beaver in the northern area of the province north of 55 has been declared for the months of March and April, according to an order-in-council passed recently.

The catch is limited to 10 beaver per trapper and no trapping is permitted south of 55.

This new order-in-council rescinds one passed some time ago providing for a closed season for beaver over the entire province until December 31, 1934.

A Clever Counterfeiter
Toronto, Ont.—Said to be a master-piece of counterfeit art, police are attempting to trace the origin of a bogus \$20 United States banknote, detected by the teller of Kirkland Lake bank.

AIR MINISTER ON TOUR OF INSPECTION



Here we see Lord Londonderry, British Secretary of State for Air, leaving Croydon by the huge air liner "Hercules" to make a tour of the Royal Air Force Units in Egypt, Palestine and Iraq. It's a long trip and perhaps a bumpy one, but the "air-minded" Air Minister seems quite happy.

Western Estimates

Sums Set Aside For Public Works In Western Provinces

Ottawa, Ont.—Western estimates tabulated in the House of Commons include sums for public buildings in western Canada, and also for harbor and river improvements, particularly on the Pacific coast. Under the head of "public buildings," the following appropriations for the fiscal year 1933-34 are made:

Dominion public buildings: Improvements and repairs, \$25,000; Regina armory payment on instalment of purchase of armory, \$31,000.

Saskatoon: Old post office building alterations and improvements, \$4,500.

Total, \$60,500.

Under the heading of "harbors and rivers," the following appropriations are included:

Saskatchewan, Alberta and North West Territories: Harbors and rivers generally for maintenance of services; no new works to be undertaken, \$15,000.

Provision is made for certain telephone and telephone lines, as follows:

Saskatchewan and Alberta: Saskatchewan and Alberta telephone and telephone lines: Repairs and improvements, \$7,700.

Higher Pensions Wanted

For Veterans Of Old North West Mounted Police Service

Edmonton, Alberta—Increased pensions for veterans of the old North West Mounted Police service and the continuation of pensions to dependents of such veterans will be the objective of a campaign to be conducted at Ottawa. It was decided at a meeting in the Memorial hall of the combined executives of "G" and headquarters divisions of the R.N.W.M.P. Veterans' Association.

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BRITAIN HOPES TO ADJUST WAR DEBT QUESTION

London, England—Great Britain's fundamental aim in entering the Washington debt discussion will be to create a friendly atmosphere and a mutual trust leading to a widespread American understanding of the world nature of the problem which, in the British view, calls for a rapid final settlement by a drastic scaling down.

This is the view of authoritative opinion of highest government quarters and with the cabinet strongly united on the war debts policy, plans will be rapidly completed for the Washington negotiations as soon as Sir Ronald Lindsay, British ambassador to the United States, arrives in England.

Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald and the group considering the debts negotiations are awaiting the arrival of the ambassador to receive a report from him on the present situation in the United States. After that there will be a full cabinet meeting to endorse the personnel of the British delegation and to decide upon procedure.

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"Our own tariff committee is absolutely free from all political influence."

"We only ask that the Canadian committee should be similarly free."

"He said he anticipated a gradual return of prosperity to the United Kingdom."

Amy Johnson Given Award

Woman Aviator Receives Segrave Memorial Trophy

London, England—Amy Johnson Mollison, England's premiere woman aviator, was notified that she had been awarded the Segrave Memorial Trophy, established in 1930 after the death of Sir Henry Segrave, the motorboat racer.

The two previous winners were Bert Hinkler, who has been missing for weeks on a solo flight from here to Australia, and Sir Charles Kingsford-Smith.

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I LIKE THE DEPRESSION!
NO MORE PROSPERITY FOR ME

The following article appeared in a recent issue of the Echo, of Wiarton, Ont., and was from the pen of an unknown writer: It's worth passing on in view of the large amount of common sense and philosophy it contains:

I like the depression. No more prosperity for me. I have had more fun since the depression started than I ever had in my life. I had forgotten how to live, what it means to have real friends, what it was like to eat common, everyday food. Fact is, I was getting a little high hat.

Three years ago only one man of our outfit could be out of town at a time and he had to leave at the last minute and get back as soon as possible. Many times I have driven 100 miles to a banquet, sat through three hours of bunk in order to make a 5-minute speech, then drive the 100 miles back so as to be ready for work the next morning. Nowadays we make these trips and stay as long as we want to. The whole outfit could leave the office now and it wouldn't make any difference.

It's great to drop into a store and feel that you can spend an hour or two or three or a half just visiting and not feel that you are wasting valuable time. I like the depression. I am getting acquainted with my neighbors. In the last six months I have become acquainted with folks who have been living next door to me for three years. I am following the Biblical admonition: "Love your neighbors." One of my neighbors has one of the best looking wives I have ever seen. She is a dandy. I am getting acquainted with my neighbors and learning to love them. I like the depression.

Three years ago I was so busy and my wife was so busy that we didn't see each other. I never went home to lunch. About twice a week I went home to dinner—at 6:00 o'clock. I never had time to go anywhere with her. If I did go on a party, I could never locate her. Since there was always a "blonde" or a "redhead" available, I didn't worry much about it. My wife belonged to all the clubs in town. She even joined the young mothers' club. We didn't have any children, but she was studying—nursing between playing bridge and going to clubs she was never at home. We got stuck up and high falutin'. We even took down the old family bed and bought a set of twin beds—on the instalment plan. When I went home at night, if my wife was at home, she would already be in her bed and I would crawl in mine. She came in late it was vice versa.

We like the depression. We have come down off our pedestal and are really living at home now. The twin beds are stored in the garage and the family affair is being used. We are enjoying life. Instead of taking a hot water bottle to bed these cold nights, she strikes her heels in my back, just like she did before Bennett was elected.

I haven't been out on a party in eighteen months. I have lost my book of telephone numbers. My wife has dropped all the clubs. I believe we are falling in love all over again. I am pretty well satisfied with my wife. Think I will keep her, at least until she is forty, and then if I feel like I do now, I may trade her for two twenties. I am feeling better since the depression. I take more exercise. I walk to town and a lot of folks who used to drive Cadillacs are walking with me. I like the depression.

I am getting real honest-to-good-

ness food. Three years ago we had filet mignon once a week, now we have round steak with flour gravy. Then, we had roast breast of guinea hen; now we are glad to get something with the buttons on it.

I like the depression. My salary has been cut to where I can't afford to buy lettuce and spinach and parsley and we can't afford to have sandwiches and frozen desserts and all that dam foolishness which has killed more good men than the world war.

I like the depression. Three years ago I never had time to go to church. I played golf all day Sunday and besides I was so darned smart there wasn't a preacher in Canada could tell me anything. Now, I am going to church regularly, never miss a Sunday. And if this depression keeps on, I will be going to prayer meetings before long. I like the depression.

OUR SYSTEM OF DEPORTATION

The country may be well rid of Veregin, but why the stealthy method of deporting him. Isn't our practice in connection with deportations becoming far too un-British? We pick a man up, hurry him to the seaboard and put him aboard ship before he has a chance to say goodbye to a relative or settle his business affairs with associates. Veregin's case is only a sample of scores of others. Why cannot our immigration laws be operated in open court with all the secrecy that covers them? It would be better for Canada's reputation if there was assurance that every man and woman was to be given a fair trial, no matter the nature of the offence. Veregin is due for deportation because we presume he committed a serious crime and is otherwise a menace and the country is better off without him, but surely he could be treated with a lit of human decency before he departed from our soil.

We are constantly flaunting the menace of Russia, but are there not evidences that in this matter of deportations we are becoming tainted with Russian methods?—Lethbridge Herald.

"OWED" TO A SCOTCHMAN?

If you think otherwise, try to organize a party to celebrate the birth of Wordsworth or Tennyson, Longfellow or Bryant, excellent poets who led correct lives. The first thing you would have to do is to look up biographies to ascertain the date. And it is no answer to say it is the cluniness of Scotsmen trying to glorify a fellow-countryman, for they could not do it for a greater man of letters than Burns—Sir Walter Scott. No. It is because he was what he was, and not in spite of it. He was poor, he loved liberty, he hated oppression and he fought with a savage sorrow, as Voltaire did with sardonic glee, in France, the social and ecclesiastical tyrannies of his time. And except for one brief blaze of glory, he was neglected, if not despised. Perhaps posterity has been trying even since to make up for the neglect of his contemporaries.

One of Canada's best poets, the late R. K. Kernighan (The Khan) wrote an appreciation of Burns in which these two lines appear: "The spirits of his heroes before his shrine keep watch; He leavened all the nations and civilized the Scotch."

Scotsmen can laugh at jokes at their own expense. Laugh that one off, Sandy.—Col. Hugh Clark.

A most enjoyable birthday party was held at the home of Mrs. M. C. Goader on Monday, January 23rd, when a number of friends and schoolmates of Jack Craig and Muriel Goader, whose birthdays were being observed, were entertained at a skating party followed by a dainty lunch and games. The guests spent a most enjoyable time, and wished Jack and Muriel happy returns as the party came to a close.—Nanton News.



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IN THE DESERT A HIGHWAY FOR OUR GOD

"In the Desert a Highway for our God." This is the title and this the theme that runs all through the seventeenth annual report of the Council for Social Service of the Church of England in Canada. It appears in an attractive green cover and is full of appropriate illustrations. Beginning with work for men in the unemployment relief camps, engaged in the building of our highways, following the council's western relief work when the prairies became a desert, touching on the church's work for the unemployed, efforts to level the hill of difficulty for British settlers, to overcome the dragons in the path of womanhood and girlhood, helping people out of trouble on the way of life, the need of making the road safer, the development of the highways and byways of Christian social service through the activity of diocesan councils for social service, co-operation with road builders in the road of life in Canada and overseas, it concludes with emphasis on the spiritual side of social welfare work, the evangelistic note in social service and the council's share in the work undertaken by the joint committee on the evangelization of Canadian life.

A copy of this report will be sent free on application to the office of the Council for Social Service, 604 Jarvis Street, Toronto.

There was a young fellow named Fisher;
Who was fishing for fish in a fissure,
When a cod with a grin
Pulled the fisherman in;
Now they're fishing the fissure for Fisher.

An issue of the Alberta Gazette, dated January the 31st, carries a paid notice to the effect that the time for receiving petitions for private bills at the next session of the Legislative Assembly will expire January 31st. Looks like good business, eh!

We regret that in our last issue reference was made to the concert staged in the Columbus hall here on the night of January the 30th as being the work of Natal-Michel artists. We learn since that practically all the talent taking part in the play "Flirting in the Forest" was local, the personnel of the programme being as follows: Mayor, Mr. Tom Kubik; Mary, his wife, Mrs. Tom Kubik; Podruck, mayor's neighbor, Mr. Frank Gallich; Katie, mayor's maid, Mrs. Joe Polack; John, orphan, Mr. Martin Margelak; Betty, mayor's daughter, Mrs. John Kanik; Lidle, Betty's comrade, Mrs. Joe Kauk; Frank, mayor's shepherd, Mr. Frank Harych; Tony, Podruck's son, Mr. John Oles; the village watchman, Mr. John Hurkot; Mrs. Ponczek; Lidle's friend, Mrs. Martin Kubik; Prussian officer, Mr. Pete Kubik; Soldier I, Mr. Stanley Vinik; Soldier II, Mr. Joe Galvin; John, orphan under care of the mayor; John, attorney, Mr. M. Marciak; Soldier III, Mr. Steve Krkosky. An enjoyable dance followed the play.

THE PASS SIXTEEN YEARS AGO
(The Blaирmore Enterprise, 1916)

Nov. 10.—Two fatal accidents occurred at the Hillcrest mine during the week, the victims being Albert Myoma and Fred Iwanieau. Two years previous, a very similar double tragedy occurred at the same mine. Dr. E. H. Gray has made a presentation of three medals to the local school, to be awarded to pupils in Grades IX, X, and XI for highest aggregate marks attained.

Misses Sadie Morris and Helen Bosley, of Bellevue, have gone to Pincher Creek to attend school for the winter.

The Bellevue branch of the Canadian Patriotic Fund has so far raised in cash \$4841.15. A. J. Kelly is secretary.

Miners at Springhill, N.W.T., are asking for a thirty per cent increase in pay.

Blaирmore auto owners, on Wednesday of this week, took the inmates of the Frank military hospital out for a spin as far as Lundbreck.

At an anti-church union meeting at Saskatoon, a reverend doctor accused his opponents of lying, stealing \$25,000, attempted wholesale plunder of church property, of German rationalism, tyranny and kaiserism, and attempting to set up a despotic form of church government. Apart from these trivial matters, it is understood that the congregation in question hopes to continue to abide in Christian fellowship, with all holiness and meekness, forbearing one another in love.

H. G. Benson has opened his new meat market at the postoffice corner.

Nov. 17.—For the fiscal year ended October 31st, the Frank branch of the Canadian Patriotic Fund raised \$3264.55. Rev. W. T. Young is secretary, and C. J. Tompkins, treasurer.

Word has just been received from Charlie Ray, stating that he has been awarded the military medal.

Fresh eggs are selling in Blaирmore at 50 to 60 cents a dozen, and butter 30 cents a pound. Old maids are valueless.

In eighteen months the employees of the Trail Smelter contributed over \$33,000 to the Red Cross and Patriotic funds.

The marriage of Bob Evans, of Coleman, to Miss Mary Jones, of Wiles, took place on Thursday last. They will reside at Bellevue for the present. Bob says he doesn't worry.

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over marriage, but its the "little charge" things in life that count.

Albert Hallworth, of Bellevue, The miners of District 18 of the celebrated his 38th birthday on the U.M.W. of A. are demanding a 25 per 17th.

Lance-Corporal Walter J. Howe

There are two periods in a man's returned overseas on Monday, life when he does not understand a He was met by his mother at Medicine Hat.

Nov. 24.—The new community hall at Frank was officially opened and J. W. McDonald, K.C., has again dedicated on Sunday last. Rev. Dr. Kerby, of Calgary, was special speaker. Rev. W. T. Young is pastor in Mayor J. Swinerton.

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District News

From Our Own Correspondents

HILLCREST HAPPENINGS

G. E. and Mrs. Cruckshank left by motor on Tuesday morning for Edmonton, where Mr. Cruckshank will attend the session of the provincial legislature.

Bessie Carter left for Great Falls last week, where she intends staying with her sister, Mrs. Mackenzie.

The Hillcrest string orchestra has started rehearsing under the conductorship of W. H. Moser.

Two games of basketball were played in Bellevue on Monday evening. The Hillcrest junior boys defeated Bellevue 35-16, but the table was turned on the local girls, who lost 20-18.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Webster are entertaining the Mountain View basketball boys, who are playing a series of games through The Pass.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Gardiner are re-

jicing over the birth of a daughter on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Smith motored from Calgary to Hillcrest on Sunday last.

The Hillcrest senior basketball team were defeated by Michel last week to the tune of 5-3.

Mrs. E. Crossman returned from Calgary last week.

A fast game of hockey was played between Michel and Hillcrest on Saturday afternoon last. The team won with a score of 8-3.

Vincent Casagrande left for Edmonton last week.

The Ladies' Aid of Hillcrest United Church met at the home of Mrs. J. Dudley on Wednesday, February 1st, when they decided to hold a St. Valentine tea and sale of home cooking on Saturday, February 10th, from 2 to 5 p.m.

BELLEVUE HAPPENINGS

Miss Helen Emmerson entertained a number of friends on Wednesday evening. Bridge was enjoyed, honors being won by Miss G. Chiaravola, ladies' first; Miss Ivy Johnson, second; Bill Cousins, gents' first; W. Zumwalt, second. After a dainty luncheon, the party dispersed.

Mrs. B. Ecclestone entertained the ladies' sewing circle on Thursday evening.

Wednesday evening saw two fast and clean games of basketball in the Catholic hall, when Hillcrest senior girls and boys met the Ramblers and Ramblers. The score in the final game was 17-10 in favor of the Ramblers, and the Ramblers humbled the Trojans 46-12. On Monday, Mountain View defeated Riverside. Bellevue junior girls defeated Hillcrest girls 20-18. Hillcrest junior defeated the local Scouts 35-15.

The home of Mike Wakuluk was destroyed by fire at an early hour on Monday morning. The fire had a good start before being noticed. Very little was saved.

Miss B. Nicholson entertained a party of friends at bridge on Monday evening. Bridge honors were won by the local Scouts 35-15.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The ages of 128 old people entertained to a tea and concert by the Rotary Club of Barking (Essex) and the Welfare Guild totalled 9,029 years.

Professor Auguste Piccard said that men may fly to other planets in rocket planes in the future, but they will not be able to come back.

John Galsworthy, British novelist and dramatist and 1932 Nobel prize winner, died January 31. He was 65 years old.

Building societies in England have advanced an average of \$255,000,000 a year in the last three years to home builders.

Further cuts in federal appropriations for agriculture are believed inevitable in the estimates for the fiscal year beginning April 1 next.

Increased tariffs on imports to Britain has placed in a precarious position the hand-weaving industry, started by the Free State Government in South Donegal five years ago.

Curtailment of war debts owed the United States has been approved by member organizations of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

Possible use of the X-ray to bring down aeroplanes was described to a group of scientists by Dr. J. W. M. Dumond, research fellow at the California Institute of Technology, Los Angeles.

The Italian Government accepted the offer of the United States Government for a discussion of the war debt as soon as possible after Franklin D. Roosevelt takes office as U.S. President.

Hon. Vincent Massey, former Canadian Minister to the United States, told the Central Ontario Liberal Association executive at Cobourg, Ont., that if the Liberal party succeeded in gaining power, the first step taken "would be to drop the tariff."

Japan's Exports Higher**Shipments Of Cotton Material and Silk Improve Trade**

Japan's shipments of silk, of rayon (65 million pounds in 1932), and of cotton materials are said by the Commercial Intelligence Journal to account for an improvement in her export trade. For the first time she has exported more cotton cloth than Great Britain, the figures for the first ten months of 1932 being: Japan, 1,842,217,000 yards; Britain, 1,620,248,000 yards. She sold more of this material to India than India's British overlord did.—Toronto Weekly Star.

Peru has placed a tax on ice.

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No Calmif needed

When you're blue, depressed, sour on the world, that's your liver which has pouring its two most important fluids into your bowels.

Digestion and elimination are not up, food is accumulating and decaying inside you.

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You need a liver stimulant. Carter's Little Liver Pill is the best. Carter's Little Liver Pill is the best.

Substitution 25¢ at all drugstores.

Announces New Find**Director Of Museum Believes He Has Discovered Tower of Babel**

What is believed to be the Bazaar, or the "Tower of Babel," in the ancient city of Akkad, has recently been discovered by Dr. Leroy Waterman, director of the University of Michigan-Cleveland Museum archaeological excavations in Mesopotamia.

The find is a mound about 50 feet high and 250 to 300 feet in diameter. The outer structure is a circular wall of sun-dried bricks, 30 feet thick and 15 to 20 feet high. Above this level of the wall are alternate layers of reeds and earth. The north side of the mound is a solid structure of unburned bricks.

Inscriptions in the mound appear to confirm the early origin of the structure, which dates back to about 4,000 B.C.

The Tower of Babel, according to legend of the Book of Genesis, was built by inhabitants of Babel with the intention of climbing to heaven. They were, however, prevented through their speech being confounded.

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John Bull is used to paying. He has been paying ever since the war, and has become hardened to standing treat to the nations. The pleasing conviction prevalent abroad that whatever happens John Bull will foot the bill, so sedulously fostered by successive British Governments, is as strong as ever. Even the staggering prospect of handing over colossal sums to the U.S.A. while getting not a penny from our own debtors does not appal the British taxpayer. Nothing appals him any more. He knows from long experience that he is "for it" in any case.—London Truth.

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By Ruth Rogers



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It has such a pretty neckline. The small hips give it a smart sophistication. The growing girl will be interested to note that this is an inverted plait and still retains its slim line.

The original dress was designed in the style of a French crepe. Note how the collar terminates in a jabot.

The pattern also provides for long sleeves at the usual back view.

Plained woolens, wool jersey, wool challis and tweed-like cottons are sturdy smart ideas.

The "miners' best" make it of round crepe silk in geranium red or brown velvetine.

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PRINCESSES ON A SAND PILE

These charming little ladies playing on the sand pile are Princess Elizabeth Alexandra Mary (left), and her sister, Princess Margaret Rose, children of the Duke and Duchess of York and grandchildren of the King and Queen. When this photograph was taken they were playing with spades and buckets at the estate of their maternal grandparents, the Earl and Countess of Strathearn, in Hertfordshire.

Report Is Denied**Japan Says No Naval Base Is Being Established In the Pacific**

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HEART OF THE NORTH

By

WILLIAM BYRON HOWERY

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CHAPTER V.—Continued.

"Consequences?" he repeated. "Consequences for me? I warned you that we shouldn't split our party. That was the cause of us falling. I predict just what happened."

Haskell brushed the words aside. "The consequences of a blundering, booted-up patrol such as you led are usually demotion to the ranks. That's what you'll have to take. In an important matter like this I haven't any choice but to make you a constable. Whipple, write out the papers for his demotion.

For moments Alan stared at him. Then he laughed. It was incredible, a travesty. Busted! Busted because of that man's orders. Busted because he had been sent out, lied hand and foot, on a patrol doomed to disaster before it started!

He snapped, "You can quit that scratching, Whipple! I'm not a constable yet. And you, Inspector, if you haven't got sense enough to know you're hanging onto your command by a couple of fingers, I'll tell you about it. When Williamson finds out about you ordering me to split my party, he'll either ask for your resignation or fan you down to the Border where you belong. You're going to give Dave MacMillan a decent chance and I'm going to make that patrol to the Incomm."

Across the desk Haskell surveyed him coldly. "Just a moment, Baker. You said something about my ordering you to split your party. You're blaming me for your failure?" He met Alan's eyes without a tremor; he was able to look steadily at Alan, as he added: "I didn't order you to split your detail. I may have suggested it, but that patrol was yours, and you're not going to hang the blame on—"

"You didn't order me? You say you didn't order me?"

"That's exactly what I said, sergeant. I gave you no such orders."

Speeches for moments, Alan finally found words. "You're a liar. A sneaking liar! You're trying to crawl out!"

Haskell jerked around to Whipple. "Make a note of that remark." He turned to Alan again, and in hard tones, with no hesitation or weakness, he said: "You came in here thinking you had some heavy artillery against me. You meant to get me. Whether I gave orders or merely suggested, isn't the question now, sergeant. The question is: How are you

going to prove your charge? Do you happen to possess any documentary evidence, or can you produce any witnesses, that I gave you that order? You can't! Hardstock and Younge were down at the wharf. On the other hand Constable Whipple here was present and heard what you said. So it is the word of two people against yours, and one of them your officer commanding. What do you think of your heavy artillery now?"

He smiled sardonically, in triumph. Alan stood mute, thunderstruck. A moment ago he had thought that Haskell had actually forgotten those crazy orders. But now, with the meaning of those words dawning upon him, he realized that Haskell had deliberately planned this peridy. By a brazen, incredibly brazen lie, he intended to squirrel out of any and all responsibility for the wrecked patrol.

The very effrontery of the denials staggered Alan. In a dazed manner he sought to find out of what Haskell had just said. But often in a little space it was borne in upon him that Haskell had borne him; that he no longer held a sword over the inspector; that his own heavy weapon was turned against himself now. Whipple had been here; his own men had been down at the wharf. In sickened despair he felt his situation like the fanged jaws of a trap pinching him.

He stood there speechless, staring into the cold taunting eyes of his enemy. Presently he was able to say, throatily: "I hadn't thought of that, Inspector! I knew you were tricky, but still I thought you were too near being a man for a thing like that. I've been associating with men like Larry and Bill and Fed, so long that I'd forgotten your kind exists. A lie, a damnable bare-faced lie, from an officer—in that uniform—Good G-d! If you hadn't said it, I wouldn't have believed."

"Is that all, constable?" Haskell inquired, with a faint sneer on his mouth.

"Yes, that's all. You've got me." He turned and trudged out the door.



He Turned and Trudged Out the Door.

His thoughts were all a confused turmoil. Busted—a constable—and dined with the whole blame of that disgraceful patrol—the ground cut out from under him by that brazen lie. Now he realized to the bone how unscrupulous Haskell could be in a show-down fight. When reputation and Elizabeth Spaulding and command here were at stake, Haskell was as cunning as a sloth wolf and as malig as a caracou. The inspector had been out to get him, and had got him. He stood on a level now with Whipple and Burgon—he, once the proud leader of a proud detachment. One fact came home to him, hard and inexorable: his Incomm trip was smashed. To make that patrol he had to have Haskell's backing. But to hope for any co-operation from the inspector would be a fool's wishful thinking. Haskell was out to get him, not those criminals. That Incomm plan was dead.

Alna felt the terrible hopelessness of his situation. He was bound hand and foot. There was nothing on earth he could do—nothing except forget the aching vision of running those six unknown murderers to earth.

Did he dare forget? . . . Dimly through the creeping mist he saw the candle light of the tiny hospital, where Larry, his aide and comrade, on many a patrol, lay tossing in pain and fever, when Larry, so strong of body, so full of his physical powers, faced the black realization that he would never again go out on patrol with other men, and would never again follow a Strong-Woods trail. Jutting out from the barracks he could see the massive outlines of the cement cell where Dave MacMillan, helpless to prove his innocence, awaited the full vengeance of the law. His felt a responsibility toward

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Dave MacMillan, all aside from Dave being Joyce's father. If it had been his duty to arrest MacMillan and bring him in, he was a higher duty now to fight for him, to clear a man whom he knew in his heart to be innocent.

Thinking in hard practical terms, Alan saw that so long as Haskell had power over him, he could not stir a hand. If he was ever to get those criminals, he had to be free. Several paths lay open to him. One by one he studied and rejected them, till only the last remained.

For minutes he weighed that possible act. Its cost to him was a terrible cost. It would wipe out his brilliant reputation, his whole police record. It would kill his last chance of ever bringing Haskell to account. It would uproot him and take him for good and all out of this North country.

Torn by doubt and indecision, he wavered. The price seemed too staggering.

Presently he heard some one come up the terrace and glide past him and go on toward his cabin. The figure was merely a moving blur in the mist, but Alan recognized that light foot step.

He called softly: "Joyce! You wanted to see me?"

"Alan! I've been wondering where you are. Your cabin was all dark and I couldn't find you." In eager eagerness she asked him: "Alan, what did Haskell say about Dad? He's going to release Dad on bail, as you thought?"

Alan shook his head, sorry for her, sorry for the headache that lay ahead of her now. "Joyce, Haskell can be brutal and inhuman. He wouldn't consent even to letting your dad remain here. He intends to send him outside to Edmonton."

It was on his lips to add, "Your father is being sacrificed to Haskell's need of a victim." But he could not bring himself to tell Joyce that. The news had stricken her cruelly enough.

If only she could be near her father, if only she could visit him, the ordeal might be lightened for her. The lonely waiting weeks of suspense would be agony, if her father was a thousand miles away, among strangers, with no one to lift a hand for him.

He offered gently: "Joyce, if you want to go along and be near him, I'll pay—I'll see to it that you can. I'd be best for you, and for him, too, if you would."

Joyce did not answer at once. As he looked down at her, Alan was struck by the sense of how young and innocent a girl Joyce was; and with bitter self-reproach he remembered those long months of the winter past when he had left her alone to her battle, because Elizabeth, protected, sheltered, kept her safe at Endurance, had demanded it of him. He realized that in her desperate plight she needed his strength and protection far more than Elizabeth did. Except for him Joyce was alone in the world, without friends, relatives, money, and with her father in the shadow of the gallows.

Possibly, with the spirit of courage he had always loved in her, Joyce assented: "Alan, I'm going back home. The Dugibs are bringing in their first week, I'll send several of their men en route to the Hares and Loucheux and get their furs, too. I'll sacrifice all our trade goods and raise money for Dad's defense. It'll be a true way of fighting for Dad if I go back home. I don't mind being alone."

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I can take care of myself. It'll be lonely, but all the time I'll be knowing that I'm doing the right thing and being a real help to Dad."

Alan acquiesced reluctantly, against his better judgment. A slender girl like her, scarcely out of her teens, going back to that isolated post . . .

A white girl, winsome, pretty, of some body, alone there with Indians coming and going, with half-breeds coming and going.

Joyce asked him: "What happened between you and Haskell, Alan?"

Alan told her what had taken place down there in the mist.

His account left Joyce speechless in a silent fury, her little fists clenched, her lips parted in astonishment.

"But he can't denote you, Alan!" she cried. "He can't blame you for his mistake!"

"He can't? He's already done it!"

If I try to fight him, if I make the slightest inaudible move, he's actually got the power to jail me!"

"But the Incomm patrol—he'll let you go on that, Alan?"

(To Be Continued.)

Panama Hats

Sidifit Weavers Fashion Headgear From Leaves Of Palm Trees

Panama hats, which have earned a name, are largely manufactured in Panama, but are made in the neighboring states of South America. The original hats came from Ecuador, which is still the chief source of production. The name originated during the gold rush to California in 1849. Prospectors purchased these straw hats in Panama and are naturally called Panama hats. Hats made from toquilla straw are now made in Colombia, Peru and in Central America, and all of them are indiscriminately known as Panama.

Few male tourists leave the Canal Zone without one or more of these hats. Shops make a specialty of catering to the winter visitor. Considerable business in this line is expected by the six "Matajanas" West Indies cruises, which will land more than three thousand tourists during January, February and March.

Panama hat is made from the leaf of the toquilla palm. The tree is now cultivated for commercial purposes in Ecuador, Colombia and Northern Peru. It becomes full-grown at eighteen months and lives for forty years or more. The straws are made from the new leaves, which are cut off just as they are about to unfold and are split with needles of the flint-gernail.

In Ecuador the hats are made in the Province of Manabi, where they are known as "Tipp-Jappa." Here the hat is also made from a fan-shaped palm which grows from six to ten feet high and thrives best in hot and humid regions. After the leaves are cut from the trunk they are stripped of their outer filament, dried for a few days, then boiled, stretched, withered, immersed for an instant, taken out and shaken vigorously, hung to dry in the shade, and a day or two later are placed out in the sun to bleach. A little lemon juice added to the hot water bath gives a much whiter straw. In a day or two the leaves, or sprouts, shrivel into a cylindrical form, like string, when the straw is ready for weaving.

It was formerly believed that Panama hats were woven under water, which is not strictly true, although the straw must be kept thoroughly moistened while in the hands of the weaver. Women and children make the most skillful weavers, although men sometimes possess adeptness enough to be successful in the art. It takes from one day to a week to weave a hat, according to its fine.

Although ordinary Panamas sell for two dollars, one made some years ago as a present to the King of England was so finely woven that it could be folded into a package no larger than a man's watch. It required six months to make this hat. It contained the finest straw and the work on it was done only during certain hours of the morning and evening, when the amount of moisture in the air was just right.

More Fish Licenses

During 1931 fish production showed a decrease for every Canadian province except Saskatchewan and the Yukon. On December 20, 1932, there had been an increase of domestic fishing licenses to the extent of 348 over the corresponding period of the previous year. This is an indication that the residents of the province are making greater use than hitherto of the fish of our own waters.

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Vagabond Crow Angers Vancouver Housewives

Vancouver Housewives

Little Helps For This Week

Once Civilized Bird Is On Back To Nature Rampage

"Lock the windows and bolt the doors" is the cry of Vancouver housewives when "Impudent Oscar," recalcitrant crow, makes a devastating sally upon carelessly guarded foodstuffs and valuables.

Once "civilized" is on a "back-to-nature" rampage. No one cared when "Ossie" began some what humorous raids upon sidewalk grocers, taking peanuts, grapes, pretzels, and ruining pies. But housewives became indignant, when he made off with the family wash of several lines.

His forays were more serious still when he nearly took off with several sheets of an important file through a courthouse window. When he dived into the hayard of Mrs. Guy Bennett and ruthlessly attempted to bully a tiny bantam chick, it was the last straw. Since then he has been a fugitive.

THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Alice Michelle

STREET SINGERS

The meadow lark lifts up his voice From fields of green and gold, Where, with all earth, he can rejoice As spring's bright scenes unfold.

But these poor choristers must sing Amid the city's din, While winter's darts harass and sting Through garments worn and thin.

Dire poverty and pain they know And weariness and cold, Yet singing, singing still they go With hearts that grow not old.

The meadow lark soars up to sing From fields all gold and green; Triumphantly his carols ring Through spring's enchanted scene.

Yet these street singers, like the lark, Let happy voices ring: Sons power has put this joyous spark Within them, so they sing.

The Great Dinosaur

Famous Lizard Of Roche Perce Just

Boulder Says Geologist

The famous lizard of Roche Perce is nothing more than a huge boulder, according to H. J. Lee, superannuated mining inspector and a keen geologist student.

In past years feature writers have sprawled over the massive "remains" then rushed to typewriters to pound out columns of words on the great dinosaur that roamed the prairies long before they were born.

Now Mr. Lee brands it all a pipe dream. It is nothing but an unusual rock formation, he says, adding that his contention is backed by other prominent geologists.

"Your time seems to be divided between the furnace and your son?"

"Yes; if I keep my eye on one the other is sure to go out."

The city of Canton, China, will start a trackless trolley system.

"Tribulation worketh patience, and patience, experience, and hope."—Romans 5:3.

"I waited patiently for the Lord; and He inclined unto me and heard my cry."—Psalm 40:1.

Lord, we have wandered forth through doubt and sorrow, And Thou hast made each step an on-ten. And we will ever trust each unknown morrow, Thou wilt sustain us till its work is done.

It is possible, when the future is still to cling to the conviction of God's merciful purpose towards His creatures. Of His parental goodness even in suffering, still to feel the path of duty, though trodden with a heavy heart, leads to peace, still to be true to conscience. In this patient, though uncheered obedience, we become prepared for light. The soul gathers force.—Wm. E. Channing.

Passengers Were Lucky

Pilot Made Perfect Landing On Ice With One Skid

Piloting his heavy plane with marvelous skill and daring, Ronald George made an almost perfect landing on one skid on the ice of Chapleau Lake at Chapleau, Ontario. And not until the big "plane" had bumped to a stop did his seven passengers realize how closely they had come to death.

George took off with a party of mining mafables for a trip to the Kenty Gold Mine property at Swayze Lake. A ski struck a piece of cutwood hidden in the snow and broke fast as the machine lifted.

With his ear and hand cut by flying glass, George said nothing to his passengers, but appeared to be continuing on his way. Actually, however, he circled over the town, signaling groundmen to stand by for a forced landing.

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Choice Veal Shoulder Roast	Lb 8c
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Local and General Items

John C. Stevens, Portland engineer, defines technocracy as just Communism with spats.

All is square now: The Toronto Globe made the final payment—a tribute to R. B. Bennett.

Pincher Creek's debenture indebtedness per capita is set at \$16.00—a very creditable showing.

EYES EXAMINED—Sat., February 11th, afternoon only, at Blairmore Pharmacy. E. J. ANDERSON, B.Sc., in attendance [12-9.]

Among the great promises being made by the new Bill Knight regime is a guarantee of free births, marriages and deaths.

A Valentine tea and sale of home cooking by the C.W.L. will be held at the home of Mrs. J. E. Gillis from 3 to 6 p.m. on Tuesday, February, the 14th.

Miss Julia Johnson wishes us to state that the term "respectfully," attached to her letter in The Enterprise last week, was addressed to the editor. Thanks, Julia, so much!

A valentine dance, under auspices of the Columbus Club, will be held in the Columbus hall on Tuesday night next. On the night previous, a dance will be held in the Union hall at Hillcrest.

Under the auspices of the Blairmore Girl Guides, and directed by Miss Eileen Jones, a dance révüe will be staged at the Columbus hall on Friday night, February the 17th. Keep this date open.

It's not saying much for the intelligence of local ratepayers when they have to avail of advice of Harvey Murphy or any other party not interested in our local affairs as to how to vote and who to vote for.

Our coldest spell for the season was experienced yesterday morning, when the thermometer hovered around the 36 below mark. From the west comes the report that it dropped to 41 at Fernie and 52 at Michel.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. Matheson (formerly Mrs. Bazille, of Blairmore) announce the marriage of Miss Lucienne Bazille to Mr. Lewis Kelly, son of Mr. William Kelly, station agent at Athlone, B.C., which took place at Vancouver on December the 29th, 1932.

Forty plays of his own and ten written in collaboration with others, constitute the record of George M. Cohan, author, actor, producer and song-writer, who makes his talking picture debut with Claudette Colbert and Jimmy Durante in "The Phantom President," feature entertainment at the Orpheum for the balance of the week.

Owing to disruption along the line of the East Kootenay Power Company, caused through the extremely high wind of the past twenty-four hours, the entire electrical system of the Crows' Nest Pass was demolished today for several hours, making necessary the closing of the mines and other industries. As a consequence, The Enterprise is later than usual in publication.

Many Blairmore taxpayers agree with Mr. Angus Chala in his statement that something must be wrong with the "geographic." Angus cannot understand why the "geographic" has to be changed every few years and claims the whole world must be continually changing. Maybe the "revolution" they are expecting to swing around the next corner will cause another change in that school book.

NOTICE OF POLL

Town of Blairmore Municipal and Blairmore Schol-District No. 128 Elections, 1938

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that an Election will be held for the office of Mayor and Three (3) Councilmen of the Town of Blairmore and Three (3) School Trustees of Blairmore School District No. 628 for the years 1938 and 1939 and that the polls will be open on Monday, the 12th day of February, 1938, from 10 o'clock in the forenoon until 7 o'clock in the afternoon at the following places, namely, the Town Office, Blairmore, Alberta, at the same Town Office on Monday, the 12th day of February, 1938, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, sum up the votes and declare the result of the election.

Given under my hand at Blairmore, Alberta, this 8th day of February 1938.

ARTHUR J. KELLY,
Returning Officer.

K. Krivsky has his new store on Main street about ready for opening. It will be quite attractive.

Immediately after the game on Monday night, local fans were looking for Coleman Journal alibis.

Boy Scouts will once again act as ushers at the opening of the Ontario provincial legislature on February the 15th.

According to the Edson-Jasper Signal, Dr. J. L. Chappelle, chiropractor, is to open an office at Edson on February the 15th.

Bill Cameron, of Cranbrook, is suffering from a broken rib, which he received when curling in the Selkirk bonspiel at Kimberley.

About the biggest piece of news this week is the marriage of Bill Knight, which happened on Monday, after the nomination hour.

Mabel Snod and Bobby Harmer won a year's membership in the Blairmore Library, donated by Miss Frey, for having the highest averages during the fall term of 1932.

Don't forget the Valentine tea and sale of home cooking, to be held at the home of Mrs. Gillis on the afternoon of Tuesday, February the 14th, from 3 to 6, under auspices of the C.W.L.

The regular meeting of Crows' Nest Chapter I.O.D.E. will be held at the home of Mrs. J. McPhail on Monday, February 13th, at 7:30 p.m. Election of officers will take place. All members are requested to attend.

During Monday night's session of the town council, Robert Horne and others raised objection to the sacred name of Bill Knight being used in his absence. Mr. Horne raised so such objection at the Orpheum theatre on Sunday night when Harvey Murph and others made scores of references to parties not present to hear him.

It would be greatly in the interest of Bill Knight and his campaign, as well as for the candidates proposed by the local M.W.U. of Canada for council and school board, if the language of a certain prominent supporter was somewhat modified. We have had occasion to overhear some of the expressions used, which, to say the least, are unbecoming anyone with any conception of common decency, and particularly coming from an individual with a family dependent upon him.

Grade VIII, January results: Mabel Snod, Bobbie Harmer, Henry Koentje, Rita Duncan, Carlotta Fleming, Wilma Wheatcroft, Donald Gillis, Shirley Bannan, John Yanots, Edith Oakes, Joe Lencucha, Verndell Pack, Maurice Thorpe, Lawrence Duncley, Florence Picard, Lillian Perry, Arthur Peters, Elizabeth Irvine, Margaret Uhrin, Lillian Packer, Nova Bombadier, George Kerr, Telesia Bombadier, Mary Campo, Aloys Lencucha, William Duncan, Clara Siccote, Joe Huchala, James Patterson, John Dobek, Mary Morency, Joe Chabillon, Alex Bias. Unclassified: Dante Vanoni, Richard Bennett, Paul Zimka, Lillian Pratt.

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